



## PATENT APPLICATION

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Nigel P. Topham

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For:

PROCESSOR AND METHOD FOR GENERATING

AND STORING COMPRESSED INSTRUCTIONS IN A PROGRAM MEMORY AND

DECOMPRESSED INSTRUCTIONS IN AN INSTRUCTION CACHE WHEREIN THE DECOMPRESSED INSTRUCTIONS ARE

ASSIGNED IMAGINARY ADDRESSES DERIVED

FROM INFORMATION STORED IN THE

PROGRAM MEMORY WITH THE COMPRESSED

**INSTRUCTIONS** 

Art Unit:

2183

Examiner:

Li, Aimee J.

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## RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT AND RESUBMISSION OF AMENDMENT B

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice of Non-Complaint Amendment, applicants hereby resubmit Amendment B, in its entirety, indicating the proper status identifiers for Claims 38-42 and 44-51.